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***Water Resource Managers ( YOU) are  
key to quality of life in California.***



# ...and the herd is growing

Colorado River  
Drought

Reduced Water from  
Delta



Climate Change

Explosive  
Development &  
Population Growth

The four Horsemen of the  
Apocalypse

# California's Hydrology is stressed by competing demands.



# Energy Cost will drive policy



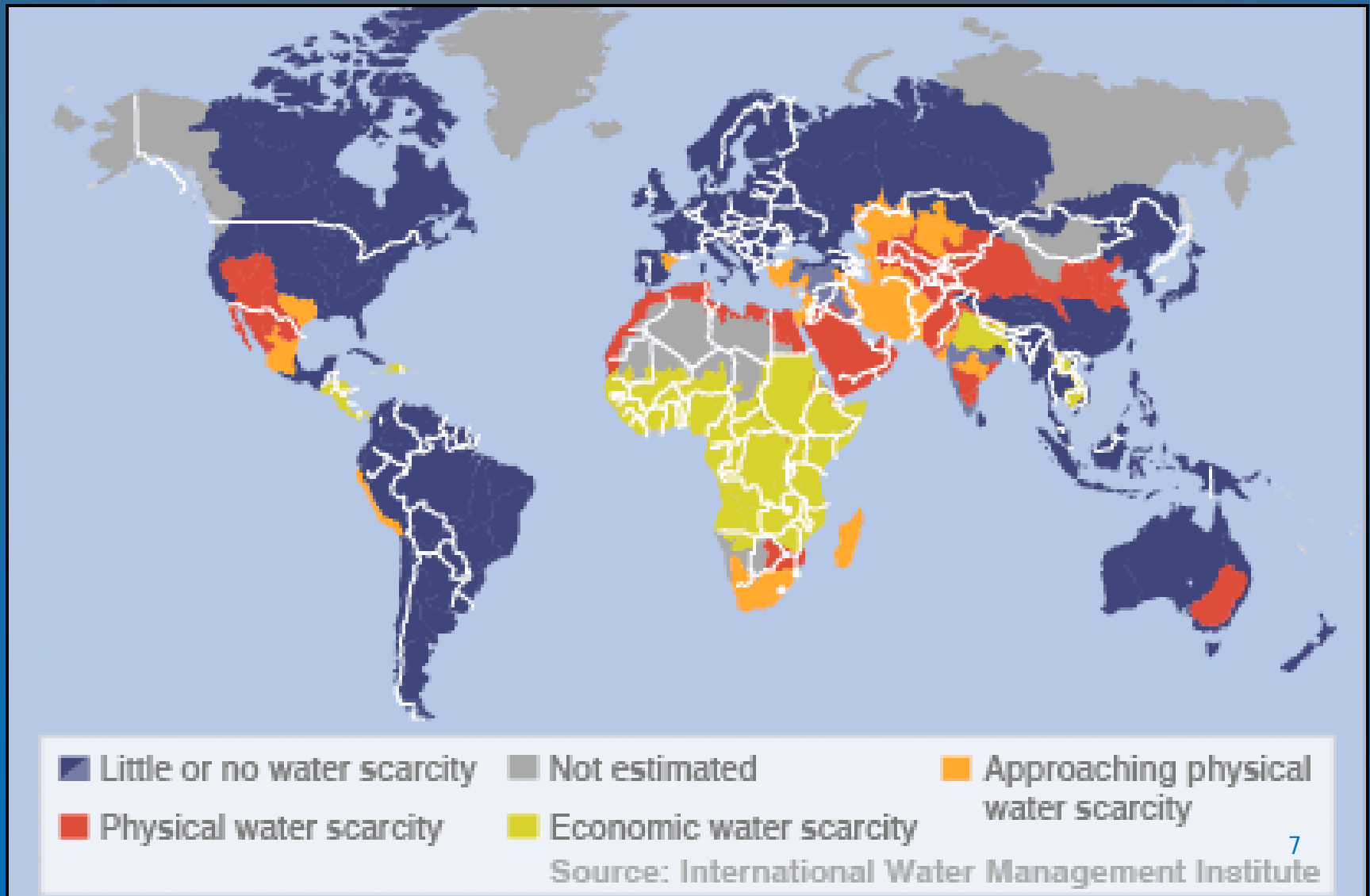




# Fiscal Crisis



# Global Water Stress & So CA



# Explosive Land Development and Population Increase





# SPRAWL: THE NUMBER ONE THREAT TO WATER SUTAINABILITY



"According to the US EPA, damage to water quantity and quality will grow dramatically unless sprawl is brought under control."

**Every state lost agricultural land.**

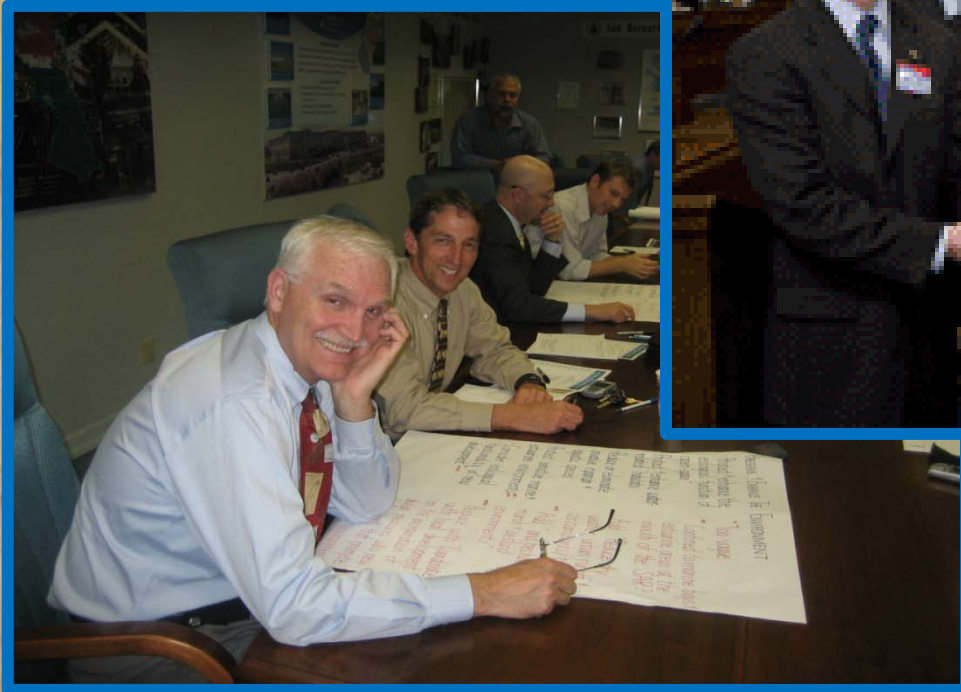


Meet Conflict  
and make him  
your friend.





**By partnering with each other, water resource managers find win-win solutions.**





**Californians want a sustainable  
predictable quality of life.**



# The promise of Integrated Regional Watershed Management partnerships is water for people, fish and food.



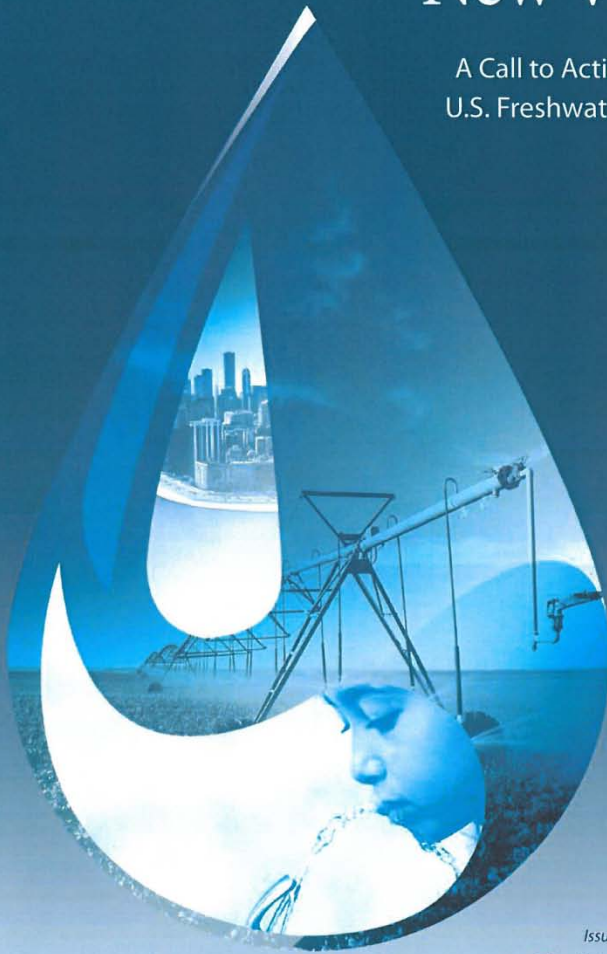


# What are others thinking?



# Charting New Waters

A Call to Action to Address  
U.S. Freshwater Challenges



Private  
Industry is  
calling for an  
integrated  
approach.

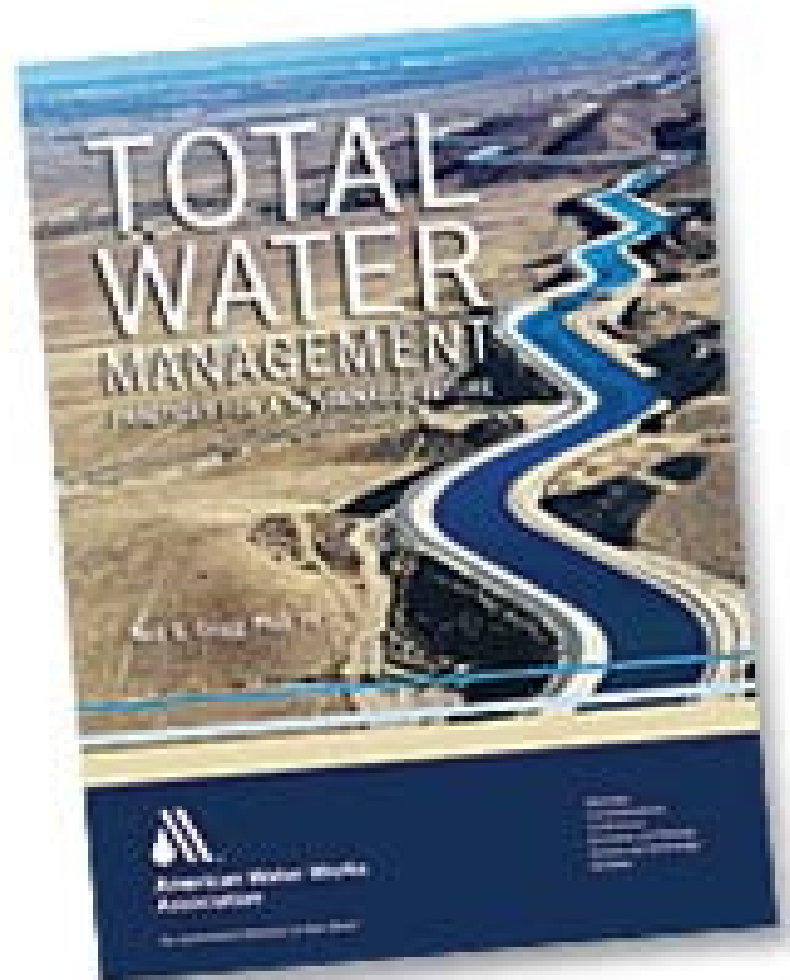
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**The Johnson Foundation  
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# Total Water Management

- American Water Works Association
- EPA
- Others



# Stockholm World Water Week



# Water in a Green Economy



- Limited water resource
- Poor water quality - Pollution
- Improving Groundwater Management
- Flood and Drought Management
- Potential climate change impacts
- Lack of attention to Water Resources Management
- Low efficiency of water use
- Pulling out and improving the policy
- Sanitation

It's time to catch up with the rest  
of the world





# DWR and the California Water Plan





# Create A New



1

- **A shared Vision for the Watershed**

2

- **Breakthrough innovations**

3

- **Establish a new Water Ethic**





# Collaborate Across Boundaries



1

- **As citizens of the Watershed, create solutions**

2

- **No ONE person can do it alone**

3

- **Think Big!**





# The System Approach



1

- **The Watershed is a hydrologic whole**

2

- **Working in concert with nature is cost effective**

3

- **See each problem as interrelated, seek efficiencies and synergies**





# Plan for Sustainability – not the next grant



# Value Water Differently



# OWOW integrates all aspects of water and every stakeholder.



# OWOW's Accomplishments



- Integrated Regional



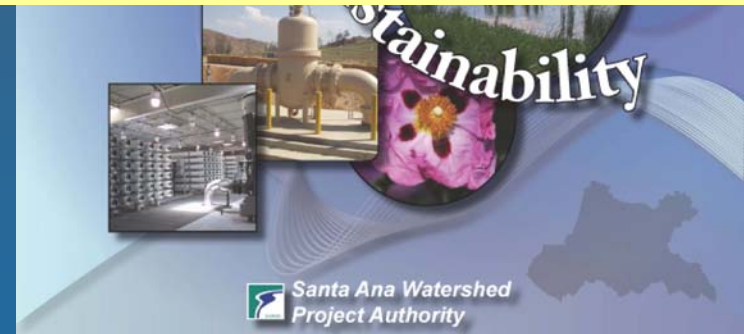
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- Report was formally adopted by  
SAWPA Nov. 2010
- Template for future statewide  
water resource planning

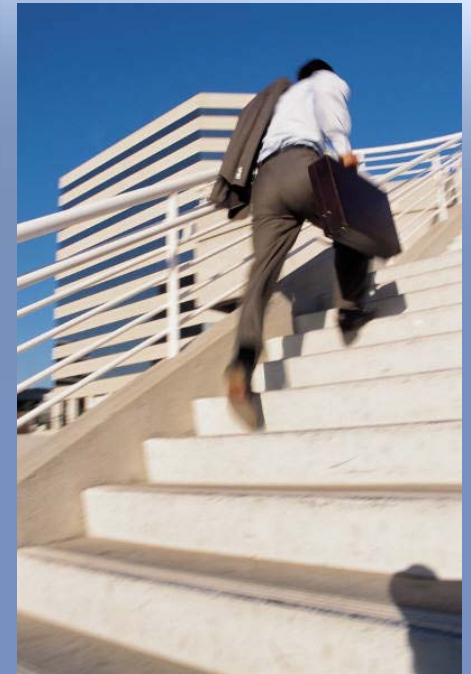




# Next Steps



- Learn conflict management skills
- Invite everyone to the table
- Develop system-wide solutions for watershed problems
- Create Anew



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